

200.1095/VEC IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE 700 MAIL POR

Examiner: Thong Vu

Group Art Unit: 2756

Re:

Application of:

Howard Udell et al.

Serial No.:

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For:

SELF-DESTRUCTING DOCUMENT AND E-

MAIL MESSAGING SYSTEM

PETITION FOR EXTENSION UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a)

Hon. Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks Washington, D.C. 20231

July 13, 2000

Sir:

Applicants petition the Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks to extend the time for response to the Office Action dated January 14, 2000 for three months from April 14, 2000 to July 14, 2000.

Enclosed please find a the fee of \$870.00 to cover the cost of the three (3) month extension.

Any deficiency or overpayment should be charged or credited to Deposit Account No. 50-0552.

Respectfully submitted,

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